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**Re: U.S. Patent No. 6,814,698 ; Issued November 9, 2004 for
Endoscope with Flexible Light Guide Having Offset Distal End
Formerly U.S. Serial No. 09/972,812; Filed October 5, 2001**

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.322, approval of the attached Certificate of Correction relating to the above-identified patent is requested.

Since the mistakes were printing errors on the part of the Patent and Trademark Office, Applicant requests that the attached Certificate of Correction be approved without payment of any additional fee. The proposed Certificate is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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Column 9, line 6 (second line of Claim 14) delete "11 degrees" and insert -30 degrees-.

Column 4, line 40, delete "end 36" and insert -end 38-.

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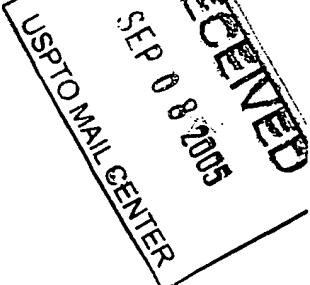
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